

MEMORANDUM ENDORSED

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Via ECF

Hon. Gregory H. Woods, U.S.D.J.
United States District Court
Southern District of New York
500 Pearl Street
New York, NY 10007

**Re: Joint Letter Motion to Extend Time to File *Cheeks* Motion
or Offer of Judgment
21-cv-00231-GHW-OTW Ramirez, et al v. Archdiocese of New York et al**

Your Honor,

We represent the Plaintiffs in the above-referenced matter. We write respectfully, and jointly with counsel for Defendants, to respectfully request an extension of time through and including September 2, 2022 to either file a *Cheeks* Motion with executed settlement agreement or an acceptance of an offer of judgment to resolve all claims.

The original due date is August 22, 2022, *see* Docket Entry No. 86 at *2. This is the parties' first request for an extension of time. The reason for this request is because additional time is needed for settlement papers to be finalized and executed. Defendants have advised that given there are various parties involved they need more time for their clients to review and approve of any settlement agreement. The parties are also continuing to discuss potentially proceeding through an offer of judgment and acceptance of the same instead. The requested extension will not affect other scheduled deadlines, as subject to Court approval the filing of the motion will resolve the case.

We thank the Court for its prompt attention to and kind consideration of this matter.

Respectfully submitted,

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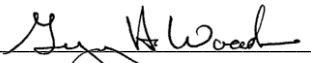
Application granted. The deadline for the parties to file a *Cheeks* motion with an executed settlement agreement or an acceptance of an offer of judgment to resolve all claims is extended to September 2, 2022.

The Clerk of Court is directed to terminate the motion pending at Dkt. No. 88.

SO ORDERED.

Dated: August 17, 2022
New York, New York

cc: via ECF
all counsel of record


GREGORY H. WOODS
United States District Judge